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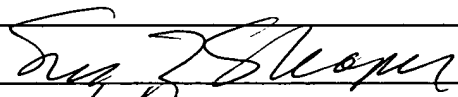
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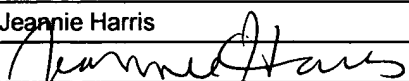
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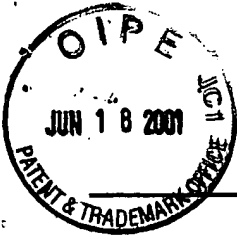
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Dear Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please change the title to "System for Automatic Self-Proportioning of Foam Concentrate into Fire Fighting Fluid Variable Flow Conduit".

In Brief Description of the Drawings, at the end of page 10 and before the text beginning on page 11, please add:

"Figures 11D-11H illustrate methods to accomplish a 'deluge' and a 'foam control valve' capability utilizing the self-proportioning system."

On the next to the last line in the text on page 24 at the end of the line, please place a period after "dispensed with".

In the claims:

Please add the following claims:

Sub 24. (New) A method for proportioning foam concentrate into a variable flow fire fighting fluid conduit, comprising: